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Assembly Bill 581

Relating to: the appointment of municipal temporary reserve judges.

By Representatives Jeskewitz, Duff, Musser, Goetsch, Owens, Plouff, Gunderson, M. Lehman, Kedzie and Seratti; cosponsored by Senators Darling, Huelsman, Farrow and Panzer.

November 5, 1999 Referred to committee on Judiciary and Personal Privacy.

January 18, 2000 **PUBLIC HEARING HELD**

Present: (9) Representatives Huebsch, Gundrum, Walker,

Suder, Grothman, Sherman, Colon, Hebl and

Staskunas.

Absent: (0) None.

Appearances for

• Rep. Suzanne Jeskewitz, 24th Assembly District

• Judge Shelley Gaylord, WI Municipal Judges Association

Appearances against

• None.

Appearances for Information Only

• None.

Registrations for

- Senator Alberta Darling, 8th Senate District
- Rep. Marc Duff, 98th Assembly District

Registrations against

• None.

January 27, 2000 **EXECUTIVE SESSION**

Present: (9) Representatives Huebsch, Gundrum, Walker,

Suder, Grothman, Sherman, Colon, Hebl and

Staskunas.

Absent: (0) None.

Moved by Representative Gundrum, seconded by Representative Sherman, that **Assembly Bill 581** be recommended for passage.

Ayes: (9) Representatives Huebsch, Gundrum, Walker, Suder, Grothman, Sherman, Colon, Hebl and

Staskunas.

Noes: (0) None. Absent: (0) None.

PASSAGE RECOMMENDED, Ayes 9, Noes 0, Absent 0

Robert Delaporte Committee Clerk

Vote Record

Assembly Committee on Judiciary and Personal Privacy

Date: 1-27 Moved by: Gundu		Seconded by:	Liona-	
AB: 581		Clearinghouse R	rule:	
AB: SB:		Appointment:		
AJR: SJR:		Other:		
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Be recommended for: Passage Introduction Adoption Rejection		Indefinite P Tabling Concurrence Nonconcui Confirmatio	rrence	
Committee Member Rep. Michael Huebsch, Chair Rep. Mark Gundrum Rep. Scott Walker Rep. Scott Suder Rep. Glenn Grothman Rep. Gary Sherman Rep. Pedro Colon Rep. Tom Hebl Rep. Tony Staskunas			No Absent	Not Voting
	Totals:	7		
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Motion Carried Motion Failed



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REP JESKOWITZ FAX NO 608 282 3624 FROM/JUDGE RICHARD J. STEINBERG PRESIDENT OF WI MUNICIPAL JUDGES' ASSN FEB 2. 2000

PLEASE SEE ATTACHMENTS

THE JUDGE MUST FIRST BE ELECTED OR APPOINTED IN HIS/HER OWN JURISDICTION IN ORDER TO QUALIFY AS A RESERVE MUNICIPAL JUDGE. IT IS MY UNDERSTANDING THAT ALL LOCAL JURISDICTIONS HAS A LOCAL RESIDENCY REQUIREMENTSO THAT THE JUDGE ORIGINATES FROM HIS/HER OWN LOCAL **JURISDICTION**

THIS AMENDMENT WOULD ALLOW MUNICIPAL JUDGES FROM ANOTHER COUNTY SUCH AS WAUKESHA COUNTY TO SUBSTITUTE AS A JUDGE IN MILWAUKEE COUNTY. *IN MILWAUKEE MUNICIPAL COURT RESERVE JUDGES* ARE SCARCE AND THIS LAW WOULD CREATE A LARGER POOL OF RESERVE JUDGES TO SIT ON SHORT NOTICE IN CASE OF AN EMERGENCY AND MAKE MORE JUDGES READILY AVAILABLE

FOR EXAMPLE, I AM THE ELECTED JUDGE FROM THE CITY OF BROOKFIELD FOR 25 YEARS AND SO LONG AS I AM A CURRENT SITTING JUDGE I CAN BE A SUBSTITUTE IN MILWAUKEE MUNICIPAL COURT. BUT. UNDER PRESENT LAW IF I RETIRE AND BECOME A RESERVE JUDGE I CANNOT SIT IN ANOTHER DISTRICT SUCH AS MILWAUKEE. UNDER THE SAME CIRCUMSTANCES A RETIRED MILWAUKEE COUNTY JUDGE FROM MUNICIPAL COURT CAN SIT IN

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MILWAUKEE BECAUSE IT IS THE SAME DISTRICT. THE LAW CHANGE WOULD MAKE IT CONSISTENT.

IF YOU NEED ANY MORE INFORMATION PLEASE LET ME KNOW

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AMENDMENT TO SEC 800.065(1)

THIS AMENDMENT WILL ALLOW THE CHIEF JUDGE OF A JUDICIAL ADMINISTRATIVE DISTRICT TO APPOINT ANY ELIGIBLE PERSON TO ACT AS A TEMPORARY RESERVE JUDGE WITHIN THE JUDICIAL DISTRICT, REGARDLESS OF WHERE THE RESERVE JUDGE RESIDES AT THE TIME OF THE APPOINTMENT

FOR EXAMPLE, NOW MILWAUKEE MUNCIPAL COURT MAY APPOINT A CURRENT SITTING JUDGE FROM ANOTHER DISTRICT SUCH AS WAUKESHA COUNTYTO SUBSTITUTE IN MILWAUKEE MUNICIPAL COURT. HOWEVER, IF THAT SAME JUDGE RETIRES THAT JUDGE NO LONGER QUALIFIES TO BE A SUBSTITUTE JUDGE IN MILWAUKEE EVEN THOUGH AS A RETIRED JUDGE HE/SHE IS MORE READILY AVAILABLE AND HAS PRIOR EXPERIENCE FROM BEING A SUBSTITUTE JUDGE IN MILWAUKEE

ANOTHER EXAMPLE IS WHEN A RETIRED MUNICIPAL JUDGE SPENDS A SUMMER PERIOD IN NORTHERN WISCONSIN AND HAS THE OPPORTUNITY TO SUBSTITUTE FOR A MUNICIPAL JUDGE IN THAT LOCATION HE/SHE IS PROHIBITED FROM DOING SO EVEN THOUGH HE/SHE HAS THE TIME AND IS READILY AVAILABLE

THIS AMENDMENT WILL GIVE MORE FLEXIBILITY TO MUNICIPAL JUDGES TO SUBSTITUTE IN LOCATIONS THROUGHOUT THE STATE WHEN REQUESTED ON THEIR RETIREMENT

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RICHARD STEINBERG MUNICIPAL JUDGE

CITY OF BROOKFIELD

WI MUNICIPAL JUDGES ASSN LEGISLATIVE CHAIR